FISCAL NOTE

SB 3123 - HB 3044

February 14, 2004

SUMMARY OF BILL: Increases the maximum emergency telephone service charge that can be levied for a residence from 65 cents to \$1.00 per month and for businesses from \$2.00 to \$2.50 per month. Increases the maximum emergency telephone service charge that can be levied as a result of submitting a proposed increase to the public for a vote from \$1.50 to \$2.00 for a residence and \$3.00 to \$3.50 for a business.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Exceeds \$100,000 / Permissive

Estimate assumes to the extent an emergency communications district board chooses to increase the emergency telephone service charge or the public approves an increase in the charge to a rate higher than the current maximum allowed, the district will experience an increase in revenues. The impact depends on the number of districts increasing the rate and the rate set but is estimated to exceed \$100,000 statewide.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director